## **H03J**

TUNING RESONANT CIRCUITS; SELECTING RESONANT CIRCUITS (indicating arrangements for measuring G01D; measuring, testing G01R; remote-control in general G05, G08; automatic control or stabilisation of generators H03L)

#### **Definition statement**

This subclass/group covers:

- tuning of resonating circuits, in particular RLC circuits in which the inductance and/or the capacitance is controlled;
- this subclass also covers the control of tuning, including the combined control of tuning and other functions, e.g. combinations of tuning control and volume control, combinations of control of local oscillator circuits and of supplementary resonant circuits.

## References relevant to classification in this subclass

This subclass/group does not cover:

Indicating arrangements for measuring	<u>G01D</u>
Measuring, testing	<u>G01R</u>
Remote-control in general	G05, G08
Automatic control or stabilisation of generators	<u>H03L</u>

## Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Resonator consisting of distributed elements	<u>H01P</u>
Antennas	<u>H01Q</u>
Oscillators	<u>H03B</u>
Filters comprising lumped elements	<u>H03H</u>
Radio receiver circuits	<u>H04B</u>

Calibrating and monitoring of receivers and transmitters	H04B 17/00
Television receiver circuits	<u>H04N</u>

## H03J 1/00

Details of adjusting, driving, indicating, or mechanical control arrangements for resonant circuits in general (machine elements in general F16; coupling of knobs to shafts F16D)

## **Definition statement**

This subclass/group covers:

- Control circuits that consist of a microprocessor: <u>H03J 1/0008</u> to <u>H03J 1/0091</u>;
- Indicating arrangements, such as used on the display of receiving apparatus: H03J 1/02 to H03J 1/048;
- Driver or adjusting arrangements, being mechanical means for driving the tunable components: H03J 1/06 to H03J 1/22.

## References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Machine elements in general	F16
Coupling of knobs to shafts	<u>F16D</u>

## H03J 3/00

Continuous tuning (H03J7/00, H03J9/00 take precedence; combination of continuous and discontinuous tuning other than for bandspreading H03J5/00)

#### **Definition statement**

This subclass/group covers:

Tuned circuits in which the tuning (or control) signal is continuously applied to the resonating circuit.

## References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Combination of continuous and discontinuous tuning other than for bandspreading	H03J 5/00
Automatic frequency control; Automatic scanning over a band of frequencies	H03J 7/00
Remote-control of tuned circuits; Combined remote-control of tuning and other functions, e.g. brightness, amplification	H03J 9/00

## H03J 5/00

Discontinuous tuning; Selecting predetermined frequencies; Selecting frequency bands with or without continuous tuning in one or more of the bands, e.g. push-button tuning, turret tuner (H03J7/00, H03J9/00 take precedence; for bandspreading H03J3/10)

## **Definition statement**

This subclass/group covers:

- Tuned circuits in which the tuning (or control) signal is not continuously applied to the resonating circuit;
- Radio frequency filters used for bandswitching in receivers and transmitters.

## References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Tuning for bandspreading	H03J 3/10
Automatic frequency control; Automatic scanning over a band of frequencies	H03J 7/00
Remote-control of tuned circuits; Combined remote-control of tuning and other functions, e.g. brightness,	H03J 9/00

amplification	

## H03J 7/00

# Automatic frequency control; Automatic scanning over a band of frequencies

#### **Definition statement**

This subclass/group covers:

- Automatic frequency control circuits, such as used in radio and television receivers: <u>H03J 7/02</u> to <u>H03J 7/16</u>;
- Automatic scanning over a band of frequencies, with or without mircrocomputer controlled circuits: <u>H03J 7/18</u> to <u>H03J 7/32</u>.

## References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Automatic frequency control (H03J 7/18 takes precedence)	H03J 7/02
1710 takes precedence)	

#### Informative references

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Automatic tuning control for television	H04N 5/50
receivers	

## H03J 9/00

Remote-control of tuned circuits; Combined remote-control of tuning and other functions, e.g. brightness, amplification (mechanical remote-control arrangements H03J1/00; [N: using a microprocessor H03J1/0025; constructional details of remote control switching devices H01H9/0235])

#### **Definition statement**

This subclass/group covers:

Remote control of tuned circuits such as used in television and radio receivers

and consumer electronics in general.

## References relevant to classification in this group

This subclass/group does not cover:

Constructional details of remote control switching devices	<u>H01H 9/0235</u>
Mechanical remote-control arrangements	H03J 1/00
Using a microprocessor	H03J 1/0025

## **Informative references**

Attention is drawn to the following places, which may be of interest for search:

Universal remote controls	H04B 1/20
Remote control of television receivers	<u>H04N</u>
Housing of remote controls	H05K 9/00